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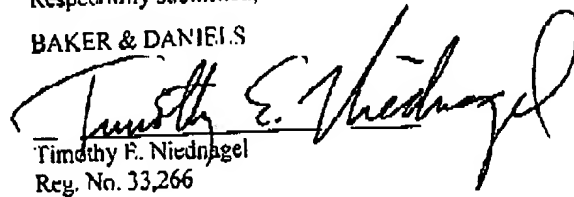
Applicant acknowledges with appreciation the Examiner's indication that claims 1-22, 26-32, and 47-59 are allowed. Applicant also acknowledges with appreciation the Examiner's indication that claims 24, 25, 45 and 46 would be allowable if re-written into independent form. Applicant has amended independent claim 23 to include the limitations of dependent claim 24. Applicant has amended claim 25 to depend from claim 23, and claim 24 has been cancelled. In addition, applicant has amended claim 44 to include the limitations of claim 45. Claim 45 has been cancelled. Finally, applicant has amended claim 46 into independent form including the limitations of claim 44.

Applicant respectfully submits that the application is now in condition for allowance. Such action is respectfully requested.

In the event that the examiner has questions related to this Amendment, or to the application in the general, the undersigned would appreciate the opportunity to address those questions in a telephone interview to expedite the prosecution of this application for all concerned.

Respectfully submitted,

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